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FM AMEMBASSY BANGKOK

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FOR BULLINGTON, EA/VN

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: OVIP (DIEM, BUI)

SUBJECT: TRAVEL OF AMBASSADOR BUI DIEM AND PARTY

1. AT THE REQUEST OF AMEMBASSY SAIGON, EMBASSY BANGKOK MET AND ASSISTED FORMER VIETNAMESE AMBASSADOR TO THE US BUI DIEM AND A PARTY OF FIVE OTHERS AS THEY LEFT VIETNAM FOR THE US ON THURSDAY 24 APRIL.

2. AMBASSADOR DIEM'S PARTY CONSISTED OF TWO DISTINCT GROUPS; NAMELY THE AMBASSADOR, MR. LE THI SAU AND MRS. BUI NGOC TIEU, AND MRS. NGUYEN THI CHUC, MRS. VOUNG VAN GIANG AND MR. DUONG GIA DUC. AMBASSADOR DIEM PAID IN CASH FOR THE AIR PASSAGE TO THE US OF THE FIRST THREE INDIVIDUALS NAMED ABOVE. FOR THE SECOND GROUP OF THREE, ALL OF WHOM ARE RELATIVES OF VIETNAMESE FOREIGN MINISTER VUONG VAN BAC, AN EMBASSY OFFICER SIGNED A PAN AM INVOICE IN THE AMOUNT OF \$2,967 REPRESENTING THE TOURIST CLASS AIRFARE FROM BANGKOK TO WASHINGTON, D.C. FOR THREE ADULTS.

3. EMBASSY WOULD LIKE TO REQUEST THAT THE VIETNAM DESK DISCREETLY APPROACH AMBASSADOR DIEM ON PAYMENT OF THE PANAM VOUCHER MENTIONED ABOVE. PLEASE ADVISE EMBASSY BANGKOK OF DEVELOPMENTS IN THIS MATTER AS WE EXPECT PANAM TO PRESENT US THE BILL VERY SOON AND DO NOT WISH TO DELAY PAYMENT TOO

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